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Boundary Scan Delay Chain For Cross-Chip Delay Measurement

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SIR:

Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED

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Respectfully,

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS AND TRADEMARK WASHINGTON, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2005, please consider the following remarks on the above-identified patent application as follows.

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Introductory Comments:

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 22 to 28 under 35 U.S.C. section 112, second paragraph, as not complying with the amendment requirement. The Examiner also rejected claims 22-27 under 35 U.S.C. section 103 (a) as being unpatentable under U.S. Patent No. 6,314,539 to Jacobson et al. ("Jacobson") in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,710,779 to Whetsel ("Whetsel"). Furthermore, the Examiner rejected claim 28 under 35 U.S.C. section 103(a) as being unpatentable over Jacobson in view of Whetsel in further view of U.S. Patent Application No. US-2002/0112213 to Abadir et al. ("Abadir").